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**PATENT APPLICATION**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application of

Docket No: Q59315

Yoichi NAKAMURA

Appln. No.: 09/605,736

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**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111**

**MAIL STOP AMENDMENT**

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In response to the Office Action dated May 5, 2004, please amend the above-identified application as follows on the accompanying pages.

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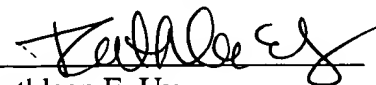
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An Amendment Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.111 is attached hereto for concurrent filing in the above-identified application. The resulting excess claim fee has been calculated as shown below:

	After Amendment	Highest No. Previously Paid For					
All Claims	24	20	=	4	X	\$18.00	= \$72.00
Independent	5	3	=	2	X	\$86.00	= \$172.00
<b>TOTAL</b>							<b>= \$244.00</b>

A check for the statutory fee of \$244.00 is attached. The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account. A duplicate copy of this letter is enclosed.

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